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In re Application of:
Noorbakhsh et al.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED OCTOBER 23, 2002

In response to the Office Action dated October 23, 2002, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on January 23, 2003, please reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below. Although Applicants believe that no fee is due in connection with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/AMAT/4150/BTP, for any fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 25 without prejudice.

Please amend claim 37 as follows: